

SUPREME COURT OF ILLINOIS

COURT CONVENED AT 9:30 A.M., TUESDAY, MAY 10, 2005

THE FOLLOWING ANNOUNCEMENTS WERE MADE:

REHEARING DOCKET

No. 98814 - General Agents Insurance Company of America, Inc.,
appellee, v. Midwest Sporting Goods Company,
appellant.

Motion by American Insurance Association for
leave to file a brief as amicus curiae in support
of the petition for rehearing and for leave to
file a more comprehensive brief within fourteen
(14) days. Motion denied.

Order entered by the Court.

Thomas, J., took no part.

ADVISEMENT DOCKET

No. 100168 - Estate of Edward J. Kocik, Deceased (Deborah
Benton, respondent, v. Michael Kocik, etc.
petitioner).

Motion by petitioner to reconsider the Court's
order of March 8, 2005, denying leave to file
petition for leave to appeal instant. Motion
denied.

Order entered by the Court.

No. 100312 - Shawn Cole, movant, v. Hon. Edward Ponce DeLeon,
Judge of the Circuit Court of Cook County,
respondent.

Motion by movant for leave to file a reply
instant to respondent Hon. Edward Ponce
DeLeon's objection to movant's motion for a
supervisory order. Motion denied.

Order entered by the Court.

No. 100323 - The Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois at Chicago et al., petitioners, v. Hon. Jeffrey Lawrence, Judge of the Circuit Court of Cook County, respondent.

Motion by petitioners for leave to file reply memorandum instant in support of motion for leave to file petitions for an original writ of mandamus and writ of prohibition. Motion denied.

Order entered by the Court.

Thomas, J., took no part.

CIVIL DOCKET

No. 100419 - United Automobile Insurance Company, petitioner, v. Hon. William O. Maki, Judge of the Circuit Court of Cook County, et al., respondents.

Motion by petitioner for leave to file a petition for an original writ of mandamus or for a supervisory order. Motion denied.

Order entered by the Court.

LEAVE TO APPEAL DOCKET

No. 99435 - People State of Illinois, petitioner, v. Nazim Hood, respondent.

Motion by respondent, pro se, for an order releasing defendant from custody pending appeal by the State. Motion denied.

Order entered by the Court.

MISCELLANEOUS RECORD

M.R. 1402 - In re: Illinois Courts Commission

Effective September 6, 2005, and until further order of the Court, the following appointment is made to the Illinois Courts Commission:

The Honorable Thomas R. Fitzgerald, Justice of the Supreme Court of Illinois, is appointed a member of the Illinois Courts Commission to the position currently held by the Honorable Robert R. Thomas.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R. 7101 - In re: Chief Justice

The Honorable Robert R. Thomas has been selected by the Justices of the Supreme Court of Illinois to serve as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court commencing September 6, 2005, and through September 5, 2008.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R. 20068 - In re: Bruce Livingston, petitioner.

Petition by Bruce Livingston for review of the decision of the Committee on Character and Fitness pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 708(d). Petition denied.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R. 20206 - In re: Mary Kathleen Mack, an attorney, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner for leave to change her name on the roll of attorneys from Mary Kathleen Mack to Molly Mack Katholi. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

M.R. 20211 - In re: Kendra Pohn, an attorney, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner for leave to change her name on the roll of attorneys from Kendra Pohn to Kendra Pohn Fogarty. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE PRESENTED AND ORDERS WERE ENTERED
AS INDICATED:

ADVISEMENT DOCKET

No. 99936 - Paul Haschke, petitioner, v. Catherine Salata Hill
et al., respondents.

Respondents' verified bill of costs.

Motion by petitioner for leave to file objections
instanter to respondents' verified bill of
costs. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET

No. 98800 - People State of Illinois, appellee, v. Andre D.
Robinson, appellant.

Motion by appellee for an extension of time for
filing brief to and including June 30, 2005.
Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

No. 98965 - People State of Illinois, appellant, v. Marcel
Nicholas, appellee.

Motion by appellee for an extension of time for
filing brief to and including June 30, 2005.
Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

No. 99712 - People State of Illinois, appellant, v. Richard C.
Nitz, appellee.

Motion by appellant for an extension of time for
filing brief to and including June 3, 2005.
Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Karmeier.

No. 99756 - People State of Illinois, appellant, v. Michael Taylor, appellee.

Motion by appellee for an extension of time for filing brief to and including June 22, 2005.
Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

No. 99895 - People State of Illinois, appellant, v. Christopher Jordan, appellee.

Motion by appellee for an extension of time for filing brief to and including June 8, 2005.
Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

No. 99977 - People State of Illinois, appellant, v. Peri Allen, appellee.

Motion by appellant for an extension of time for filing brief to and including June 9, 2005.
Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Kilbride.

No. 99984 - People State of Illinois, appellant, v. Robert Woodrum, appellee.

Motion by appellant for an extension of time for filing brief to and including June 29, 2005.
Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

No. 100054 - People State of Illinois, appellant, v. Dennis Molnar, appellee.

Motion by appellant for an extension of time to and including May 27, 2005, to file the record on appeal. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

CIVIL DOCKET

No. 98379 - U.S. Bank National Association et al., etc.,
appellants, v. Iris Peters et al., etc.,
appellees.

Motion by intervenor/appellee State of Illinois
for leave to submit supplemental authority
instanter. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

No. 99421 - Joann Melena, appellee, v. Anheuser-Busch, Inc.,
appellant.

Motion by Illinois Trial Lawyers Association for
leave to file a brief as amicus curiae instanter
in support of appellee. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Karmeier.

Motion by Assistant Professor of Law David S.
Schwartz for leave to appear pro hac vice.
Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Karmeier.

Motion by Assistant Professor of Law David S.
Schwartz for leave to file a brief as amicus
curiae instanter in support of appellee. Motion
allowed.

Order entered by Justice Karmeier.

No. 99804 - City of Chicago, appellee, v. Pooh Bah
Enterprises, Inc., et al., appellants.

Motion by appellants for an extension of time for
filing brief to and including June 8, 2005.
Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

No. 100029 - Melissa Moore, etc., appellee, v. Chicago Police
Department Officer Christopher Green et al.,
appellants.

Motion by appellant City of Chicago for an
extension of time for filing brief to and
including June 8, 2005. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

No. 100481 - Georgia-Pacific Corporation, movant, v. Hon. Daniel J. Stack, Judge of the Third Judicial Circuit, et al., respondents.

Motion by movant for a supervisory order.

No. 100494 - Richard M. Allen, Jr., movant, v. Michael Horne et al., etc., respondents.

Motion by movant to transfer case No. 05 CH 5238, HSS Partners, L.L.C., v. Allen, from Cook County to DuPage County and to consolidate it with DuPage County case No. 05 CH 252, Allen v. Horne et al.

No. 100505 - Gerald Penovich, et al., petitioners, v. Hon. Barabara Riley, Judge of the Circuit Court of Cook County.

Motion by petitioners for leave to supplement instanter their motion for leave to file a petition for an original writ of mandamus. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

No. 100522 - Edward F. Brennan, Jr., et al., movants, v. Hon Michael J. O'Malley, Judge of the Circuit Court St. Clair County, et al., respondents.

Motion by movant for a supervisory order.

LEAVE TO APPEAL DOCKET

No. 100374 - Laura A. Brzowski, respondent, v. Walter J. Brzowski, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner, pro se, for stay of proceedings in the Appellate Court, First District, in Brzowski v. Brzowski, case No. 1-03-2575, and in the Circuit Court of Cook County in Brzowski v. Brzowski, case No. 01-D-14345, pending disposition of petitioner's petition for appeal as a matter of right. Motion denied.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

No. 100493 - People State of Illinois, petitioner, v. Philbert B. Pendleton, respondent.

Motion by petitioner for an extension of time for filing petition for leave to appeal to and including June 1, 2005. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Thomas.

No. 100503 - Nicholas Lombardi, respondent, v. Dominic Sabbia, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner, pro se, for lost profits. Motion denied.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

Motion by petitioner, pro se, for an order to fulfill the order entered on January 28, 2005, in Sabbia v. Lombardi, case No. 1-04-1458, and for an injunction against certain individuals. Motion denied.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

Motion by petitioner, pro se, for stay of judgment and enforcement of any judgment in the Circuit Court of Cook County in Sabbia v. Lombardi, case No. 98 CH 08113, pending disposition of the petition for leave to appeal. Motion denied.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

No. 100523 - Kenneth Kitson, respondent, v. The Bank of Edwardsville, petitioner.

Motion by Community Bankers Association of Illinois for leave to appear and file a brief as amicus curiae in support of petitioner. Motion denied without prejudice to refile if the petition for leave to appeal is allowed.

Order entered by Justice Karmeier.

Motion by Illinois Bankers Association and American Bankers Association for leave to file a brief as amici curiae instant in support of petitioner. Motion denied without prejudice to refile if the petition for leave to appeal is allowed.

Order entered by Justice Karmeier.

No. 100524 - Leo Weich, petitioner, v. Crestwood Care Centre, Inc., respondent.

Motion by petitioner for an extension of time for filing petition for leave to appeal to and including June 2, 2005. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

No. 100530 - Robin Zahran et al., petitioners, v. Michael Driscoll et al., respondents.

Motion by petitioners, pro se, for leave to file petition for leave to appeal instant. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

No. 100550 - People State of Illinois, respondent, v. Jaime Arrieta, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner for leave to file petition for leave to appeal instant. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

MISCELLANEOUS RECORD

M.R. 12788 - In re: Appellate Court Opinion.

Petition by the Appellate Court, Second District, to publish an opinion in excess of 20 pages and a dissent in excess of 5 pages in People v. Luedemann, case Nos. 2-03-1303 and 2-04-0184 cons. Petition allowed.

Order entered by Justice Thomas.

M.R. 20216 - In re: Jodie Lynn Kikly, an attorney, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner for leave to change her name on the roll of attorneys from Jodie Lynn Kikly to Jodie Kikly Miller. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

M.R. 20217 - In re: Nicole Elaine Paolini, an attorney, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner for leave to change her name on the roll of attorneys from Nicole Elaine Paolini to Nicole Elaine Paolini-Subramanya. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.

M.R. 20218 - In re: Tracey Lynn Francesca Benedict, an attorney, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner for leave to change her name on the roll of attorneys from Tracey Lynn Francesca Benedict to Tracey Lynn Francesca Trigillo. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Freeman.